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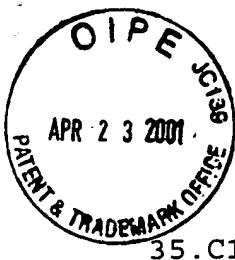
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In re Application of:)
YOSHIHIRO ISHIBE)
Application No.: 09/774,125) Group Art Unit: 2872
Filed: January 31, 2001)
For: LIGHT SCANNING OPTICAL)
SYSTEM, OPTICAL SCANNING)
APPARATUS AND IMAGE)
FORMING APPARATUS USING)
THE SAME) April 20, 2001

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**ATTENTION: APPLICATION PROCESSING DIVISION, SPECIAL
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING
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Sir:

In response to the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION - FILING DATE GRANTED mailed March
8, 2001, enclosed please find an executed Declaration/Power
Of Attorney form, together with the surcharge fee of \$130.00.
Also enclosed is a copy of the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS
OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION - FILING DATE GRANTED.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any
additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account
No. 06-1205.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office by telephone at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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CLAIM TO PRIORITY

Sir:

Applicant hereby claims priority under the
International Convention and all rights to which he is
entitled under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based upon the following
Japanese Priority Application:

Japan 2000-023867, filed February 1, 2000.

A certified copy of the priority document is
enclosed.

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